Dell Vostro 2421/2521

Setup And Features Information

About Warnings

⚠ WARNING: A WARNING indicates a potential for property damage, personal injury, or death.

Vostro 2421 — Front and Back View

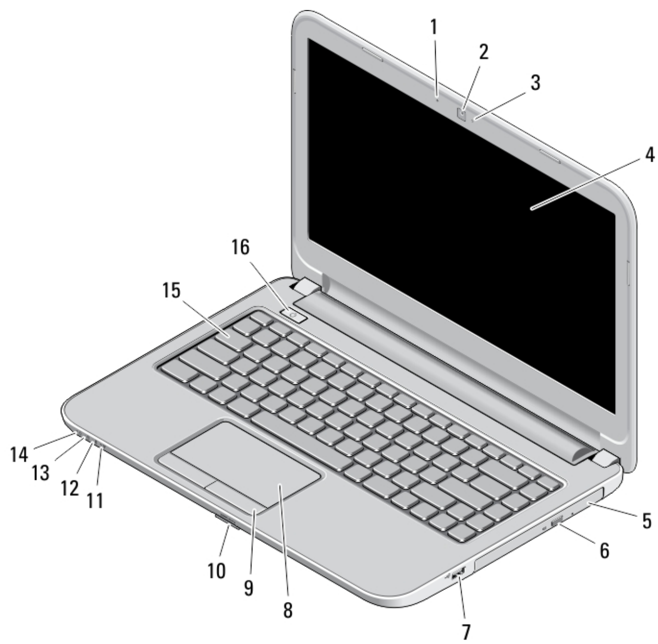


Figure 1. Front View

1. microphone
2. camera
3. camera status light
4. display
5. optical drive
6. optical drive eject button
7. USB 2.0 connector
8. touchpad
9. touchpad buttons (2)
10. SD card reader
11. wireless status light
12. battery status light
13. hard-disk activity light
14. power status light
15. keyboard
16. power button

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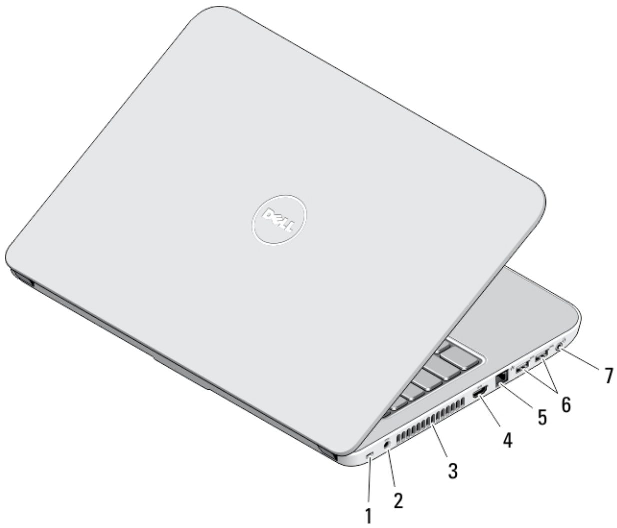


Figure 2. Back View

1. security cable slot
2. power connector
3. cooling vents
4. HDMI connector
5. network connector
6. USB 3.0 connectors (2)
7. audio connector

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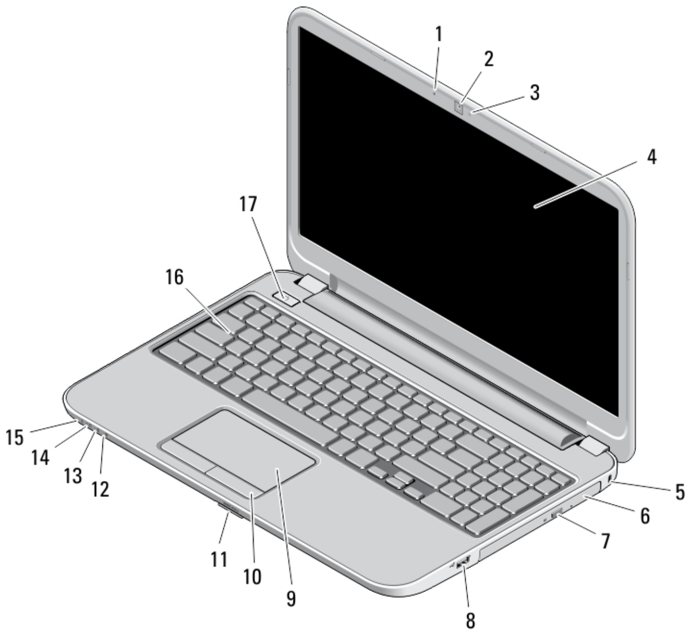


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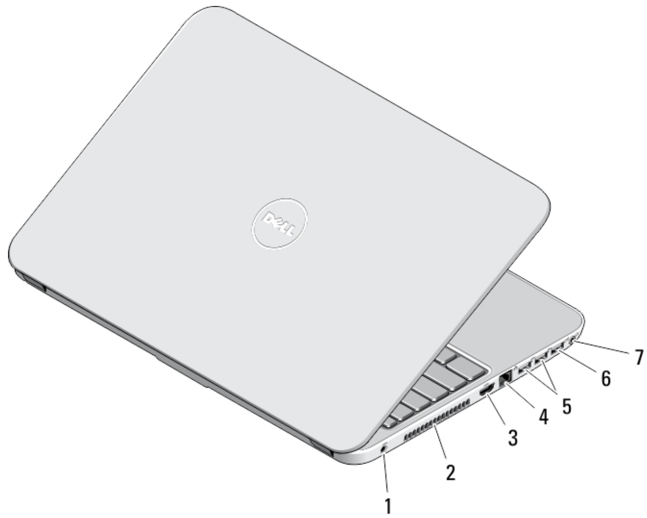


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Quick Setup

WARNING: Before you begin any of the procedures in this section, read the safety information that shipped with your computer. For additional best practices information, see www.dell.com/regulatory_compliance

WARNING: The AC adapter works with electrical outlets worldwide. However, power connectors and power strips vary among countries. Using an incompatible cable or improperly connecting the cable to the power strip or electrical outlet may cause fire or equipment damage.

CAUTION: When you disconnect the AC adapter cable from the computer, grasp the connector, not the cable itself, and pull firmly but gently to avoid damaging the cable. When you wrap the AC adapter cable, ensure that you follow the angle of the connector on the AC adapter to avoid damaging the cable.

NOTE: Some devices may not be included if you did not order them.

1. Connect the AC adapter to the AC adapter connector on the computer and to the electrical outlet.

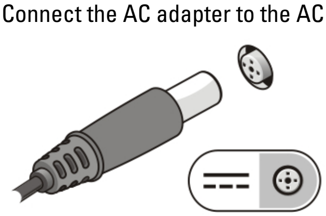


Figure 5. AC Adapter

2. Connect the network cable (optional).

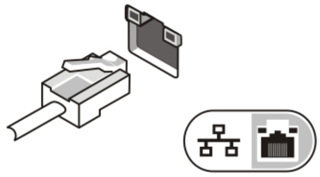


Figure 6. Network Connector

3. Connect USB devices, such as a mouse or keyboard (optional).

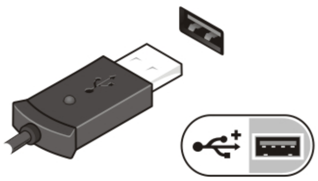


Figure 7. USB Connector

4. Open the computer display and press the power button to turn on the computer.



Figure 8. Power Button

NOTE: It is recommended that you turn on and shut down your computer at least once before you install any cards or connect the computer to a docking device or other external device, such as a printer.

Specifications

NOTE: Offerings may vary by region. The following specifications are only those required by law to ship with your computer. For more information regarding the configuration of your computer, click **Start** → **Help and Support** and select the option to view information about your computer.

Power	
AC adapter:	
Vostro 2421 / Vostro 2521 with integrated video card	65 W
Vostro 2421 / Vostro 2521 with discrete video card	90 W
Input voltage	100 VAC to 240 VAC
Coin-cell battery	3 V CR2032 lithium ion

Physical	Vostro 2421	Vostro 2521
Height (4–cell)	25.00 mm (0.98 inches)	25.30 mm (0.99 inches)
Width	346.00 mm (13.62 inches)	376.00 mm (14.80 inches)
Depth	245 mm (9.64 inches)	259 mm (10.19 inches)
Weight (Minimum)	2.00 kg (4.40 lb)	2.30 kg (5.07 lb)

Environmental	
Operating Temperature	0 °C to 35 °C (32 °F to 95 °F)

Information para NOM (únicamente para México)

The following information is provided on the device described in this document in compliance with the requirements of the official Mexican standards (NOM).

Voltaje de alimentación	100 V CA – 240 V CA
Frecuencia	50 Hz – 60 Hz
Consumo eléctrico	1,50 A /1,60 A /1,70 A /2,50 A
Voltaje de salida	19,50 V de CC
Intensidad de salida	3,34 A /4,62 A

Finding More Information and Resources

See the safety and regulatory documents that shipped with your computer and the regulatory compliance website at **www.dell.com/regulatory_compliance** for more information on:

- Safety best practices
- Regulatory certification
- Ergonomics

See **www.dell.com** for additional information on:

- Warranty
- Terms and Conditions (U.S. only)
- End User License Agreement

Additional information on your product is available at **support.dell.com/manuals**.